

Sale of Cloth Capes

These garments are made of broadcloth, trimmed with satin and buttons, in the summer pastel shades, full length, and right from the hands of the maker; two styles and prices, namely:

\$5.00 AND \$7.50

Just the thing for evening wear at the seashore or mount-tains.

Kaufmann & Co.

Social and Personal

CAPE MAY, N. J., seems to be quite popular with the Virginia people going North, and a number of Richmond people are spending the summer at the various hotels at the resort. Mrs. P. L. Conquest chaperoned a house party given by several members of the younger society set here last week at Cape May, among them being Misses Opheelia Minor, Fannie Scott, Emma Conquest and others. Later in the summer Miss Scott will be the guest of relatives in Warrenton, Va., for the horse show, and Mrs. Conquest and her daughter are visiting relatives in Pennsylvania for the month of August. Miss Phoebe Satterfield, formerly of Richmond, now of Germantown, Pa., entertained a number of her friends at a very charming house party at the Baltimore Inn, Cape May, where she is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Morris, of Keswick, Va., who have lately returned from abroad, are also guests at the Baltimore Inn for the month of August. Mr. and Mrs. Morris attended the International Horse Show in London in June and spent a few weeks in Paris before returning to this country.

Summer at Ocean Grove. Mrs. George M. Smith and her mother, Mrs. J. E. Henning, of this city, are spending the summer months at Ocean Grove and Asbury Park, N. J. They will be joined there later by Miss Julia Henning, who has been a student at Columbia University for the past two years.

Dance in Leesburg. Mrs. Frederick Mann Page entertained at a dance at "Ivon," near Leesburg, Va., the home of her father, Captain Arthur Mann, Chichester, Tuesday evening, in honor of Miss Mary Fox, of Torredale, Pa., who is her house guest. Among those asked to meet Miss Fox were Misses Mary Morris, of Richmond; Nella Harrison, Hazel White, Jean Lee Penick, Nannie Lee Janney, Lillian Viera White, Ida Lee Hemphre, Anna Snowden Wildman, Elizabeth Howard, of Washington; Harold Hober, of New York; Samuel Smith, of Washington; T. Blackwell Smith, of Texas; L. P. Hester, of Virginia; Howard Edwards, Charles L. Kemper, and Dr. Harry P. Gibson.

Returned from Gloucester County. Miss Nora Randolph, Miss Helen Tanner and Miss Virginia Watkins, who have been spending some time at "Newstead," Gloucester county, Va., have returned to Richmond. Miss Virginia Watkins and Miss Perkins, of this city, and Miss Williams, of Norfolk, are at "Newstead" for this week.

Visitors Entertained. Mrs. W. W. Boxley, of Roanoke, entertained a few friends informally Wednesday morning in honor of several attractive out-of-town guests who are now visiting in that city. Her guests were Mrs. Sublett, of Staunton; Miss Mary Peck, of Kenova, W. Va.; Mrs. Harrison, of Richmond; Miss Elwyn DeGraffenreid, of Atlanta; Mrs. Charles Silliman, Mrs. James R. Schick, Mrs. E. T. Morris, Mrs. W. K. Andrews, Mrs. A. M. Nelson, Mrs. W. Kindred, Mrs. Garrett G. Gooch, Jr., of Columbia University. Miss Cora Duke is spending the summer months at Columbia University.

visiting Mrs. T. P. Byers at her home in Staunton, Va.

Miss Beattie McSorley, of Richmond, is the guest of Miss Aileen Gregory in Lynchburg for several weeks.

Misses Emily and Alice Moncreux are spending some time in Stafford county with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wallace.

Mrs. P. T. Sutton, of this city, is the house guest of Mrs. E. T. Kindred, in Roanoke.

Miss Etta Herbert, who has been visiting the Misses Chandler in Newport News, will shortly visit friends here before returning to Blackstone.

Miss Mary Rumbough and Miss Blanch Walker, of Lynchburg, are attending a house party given by Mrs. J. Holmes Cummins, in Richmond.

Miss Mabel Frayser is visiting her cousins, the Misses Frayser, at their home in Washington.

Miss Caroline Bragg and Miss Inez Damon have gone to Lewisburg, W. Va., where they expect to spend several weeks with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Handley and little sons, of Kansas City, are at 215 East Franklin Street and will later occupy a house on Stuart Avenue.

Miss Stone, of Lynchburg, is spending several weeks in this city for a visit to friends in Newport News.

Miss Henrietta M. Weymouth, accompanied by her niece, Mrs. Harvey W. Walden, left yesterday for Elms, W. Va., on a visit to her brother, Dr. John H. Weymouth, and niece, Mrs. G. Nelson Wilson and Mrs. Barton R. Jones. On their return from Elkins they will visit Miss Isabelle V. Walden, of Philadelphia.

Mrs. O. B. Vass has left for Natural Bridge to spend a month or more.

Butler-Butler. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Fredericksburg, Va., July 18.—Thos. J. Butler and Mrs. Annie B. Butler, of Culpeper county, were married Thursday in the Methodist parsonage at Stevensburg, Rev. H. V. Shenton, officiating.

Meet in Ashland. The Baptist Woman's Missionary Union of the Dover Association will meet in the Presbyterian Church at Ashland this morning at 10 o'clock. Every society is requested to send a delegate.

In and Out of Town. Miss Dallas Lee, who has been spending some time at Virginia Beach, is now in Atlantic City.

James Gwatkin, of Richmond, expects to leave town about August 1 to spend some time in Europe.

Miss Mary Kemp, of Gloucester county, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. St. George Bryan, in this city.

Miss Katherine Gunn left Richmond yesterday for Bay Head, N. J., where she will spend several weeks as the guest of friends.

Samuel Lapham, of Charleston, S. C., spent several hours Sunday in this city.

M. W. Moncreux, of Richmond, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Ashby, in Stafford county, Va.

Miss Charlotte Bemiss, who has been the guest of Mrs. John Skelton Williams at Blue Ridge Summit, Pa., has returned to Richmond.

Miss Mary Aivett, who has been visiting Mrs. Egbert Leigh, Jr., at "Piedmont," is now the guest of friends in Albemarle county.

Colonel and Mrs. John B. Purcell and the Misses Purcell will leave shortly for the Rockbridge Baths.

Lancaster Williams has returned to Baltimore after a short visit to relatives in Richmond.

Mrs. Joseph E. C. Cosby continues quite sick at her home, 5 North Cherry Street.

Miss Mary Savage, of this city, is spending a few days with friends in Newport News.

Mrs. William Storrs, of Richmond, is the guest of Mrs. W. W. Boxley at her home in Roanoke for this week.

Miss Bessie Wyatt, of this city, is



Men's Sample Belts

Worth 75c and \$1.00; sizes 32 and 34; sale price,

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BANKERS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

Six Per Cent. Dividend Declared and \$5,000 Carried to Surplus Account.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Fredericksburg, Va., July 18.—The stockholders of the Farmers' and Merchants State Bank, of this city, have elected the following officers: M. G. Willis, president; L. J. Graves and Col. E. J. Co. vice-presidents; John F. Gouldman, Jr., cashier; D. Gordon Gouldman, assistant cashier. Directors—M. G. Willis, Col. E. D. Cole, Lee J. Graves, W. H. Peden, Dr. George H. Channing, W. S. Chesley, E. G. Healin, A. P. Rowe, E. P. Willis, H. P. Starns, E. C. Nipper, M. F. Waite, Dr. J. Garnett King, John F. Gouldman, Jr., and David Hirsch. A 6 per cent. dividend was declared on the \$50,000 capital and \$5,000 was carried to the surplus account. For the four years this bank has been in existence a net profit of 52 per cent. has been made, and it has paid out \$21,000 in interest to its saving bank depositors.

The surveying corps of the Richmond and Chesapeake Bay Railroad Company has completed its work of surveying routes between Ashland and Fredericksburg and from Fredericksburg to Washington for the new electric line. Of the two lines surveyed between this city and Washington, the one by way of Manassas is four and one-half miles longer than the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad between Richmond and Washington, and the one by Oceanquan is eight miles shorter than the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad. Estimates of the cost of building over the two lines for comparison are now being made.

A. B. Chandler, Jr., who is conductor of the Normal Summer Institute here, and who has been elected one of the State Board of Examiners of Public Schools, will leave with his family in this city. His term as school inspector does not begin until August 1.

Mayor H. L. Wallace has appointed St. George R. Fitzhugh and Col. E. D. Cole as delegates from this city to the National Conservation Congress, which meets at St. Paul, Minn., September 28.

Rev. Henry G. Lane, formerly of this city, now of Warsaw, has declined a call to the Episcopal Church at South Beach, and will continue as rector of the church at Warsaw.

The two hundred and fourteenth anniversary of Yocomico Church, Cople Parish, in Westmoreland county, was observed at the church yesterday with appropriate ceremonies.

W. B. Duerson, of Louisa county, lost two fine mules and one valuable horse when they were struck by lightning and killed during an electric storm. The animals were valued at \$600.

A northeast storm is prevailing here, and the thermometer has taken a drop of 32 degrees since yesterday.

REFUSES TO PAY BET, AGENT HAS "RESIGNED."

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Roanoke, Va., July 18.—Carter Rucker, night ticket agent for the Norfolk and Western Railway at Iron-ton, O., lost \$25 on Jim Jeffries in the Reno fight, and is said to have refused to pay the bet. The man who won took the matter up with the general passenger agent here and Rucker has "resigned."

COURT CLAIMS ALTO-MALT IS BUT ORDINARY BEER.

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PISTOL RETURNED AFTER MANY YEARS

Found on Petersburg Field, It Is Given to Brother of Owner.

WAR DAYS RECALLED

Its Recovery Incident to Confederates' Recent Visit to Springfield.

Times-Dispatch Bureau, 109 North Sycamore Street, Petersburg, Va., July 18.

Isadore Rinsach, a well-known merchant of this city, and a veteran of A. P. Hill Camp, to-day received a letter from Arthur T. Bugbee, of Springfield, Mass., thanking him for an army pistol and holster sent to the writer last week. While in Springfield with A. P. Hill Camp some days ago Mr. Rinsach and other were the special guests of Mr. Bugbee in an automobile ride. It was during this ride that Mr. Bugbee casually remarked that a brother of his was killed near Petersburg in the raid on the Weldon Railroad in 1864. Mr. Rinsach remembered that raid, and also remembered that he had taken from the body of a dead Federal cavalryman a pistol and holster, which he had kept all these years at his home, and which might possibly have belonged to Mr. Bugbee's brother. He promised to look into the matter when he returned home.

Mr. Rinsach kept his promise, and found on the holster the initials of the name of Mr. Bugbee's brother—"S. C. B."—which removed all doubt as to the question of ownership. He lost no time in expressing them to Springfield. Mr. Bugbee acknowledges receipt of these mementoes of his dead brother with heartfelt thanks and expressions of lasting gratitude, told in very touching terms. The incident followed a chance meeting and a casual remark.

Very Heavy Rainfall. There was a very heavy rainfall in this city and section Sunday afternoon. For an hour many of the streets were impassable, and on the dirt streets and sidewalks considerable washouts occurred. The small streams in and near the city were swollen far beyond their banks, and some damage was done by the washing away of lumber.

Mayor Jones Ill. Mayor William M. Jones, who has been confined to his home for several months by sickness of serious character, was removed to the Petersburg Hospital last evening by advice of the physicians to undergo an operation with the hope of affording relief. The operation was performed this afternoon, and the hope and expectation of

the Mayor's many friends is that permanent relief may be afforded. The Mayor, it is said, has been suffering from serious liver trouble.

Still in Suspense. The several candidates for the vacant office of commissioner of revenue, one of the best paying offices, it is said, under the municipal government, are still on the anxious bench. Judge Mullen, who is to make the appointment, has not yet returned to the city, and as far as known has given no intimation as to whom he will appoint. There are five or six candidates for the position, and all of them are good men, who would discharge the duties of the office efficiently.

Death of Old Citizen. James W. Seay, aged seventy-two years, a highly respected citizen, died yesterday afternoon at his residence on Halifax Street, after a long period of feeble health. He was a Confederate veteran, and was a worthy man. He is survived by his wife and the following children: Mrs. T. W. Tucker, Mrs. Albert L. Seay, Mrs. H. P. Allen, Mrs. N. H. Baird, of this city, and Samuel L. Seay, of Texas.

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A horse belonging to M. Sounenberg was stolen Saturday night and has not yet been recovered. Mr. Sounenberg left the animal feeding at the Centre Market, and when he returned the horse was gone.

The convention of Methodist Sunday schools in the Meeklenburg church, held yesterday afternoon at Kingswood cult, held under La Cross, was largely attended, and the occasion was an interesting one. Several fine addresses were delivered.

The condition of the negro, John Fisher, who was shot yesterday afternoon by officers while resisting arrest and trying to escape on the Seaboard passenger train, is very critical to-day, and it is not thought that he can live. He was struck by four balls, one passing through his liver, one entering the abdomen and the others striking his hip and leg. Fisher is from Emporia, has served terms in the jail and penitentiary, and is now wanted in various places for crimes alleged to have been committed by him.

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Standard Oil Suffers Loss. Whiting, Ind., July 18.—Fire which started in the engine room of the Standard Oil Company's factory here last night, was not brought under control until it had destroyed the large plant, causing a loss of \$200,000. Many workmen are thrown out of employment.

THREE TO STOP RUNAWAY, IS KILLED BY TRAIN. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Statesville, N. C., July 18.—R. L. Mills, a farmer, aged forty-five years, was run over and instantly killed by a freight train here this afternoon. He was trying to stop a runaway team which his son was driving when he was thrown against the train.



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